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Soviets Sweep On

BERLIN ADMITS BREACH

"NORTH-WEST of Dnepropetrovsk," according to Colonel Ernst von Hammer, Military Correspondent of the German News Agency, "the Russians are trying with all arms, strongest artillery, trench mortar and volley battery fire, and by the use of super-tanks and flame-throwers, to enlarge the breach towards the north and the south."

"Soviet infantry columns are advancing towards the German lines in dense formations," he stated yesterday. "They are preceded by armoured spearheads followed by motorised infantry. The battles are extremely ferocious. Entire tank regiments raced against the German lines, flame-throwers poured out walls of fire, slowly moving ahead to protect their advancing men and arms."

GRAVE NEWS

A Finnish correspondent in Berlin, quoted by Finnish radio, yesterday gave this description of the tense scene at the German Foreign Office Press Conference when the Russian break-through from Kremenchug was announced:—"You could have heard a pin drop when Major Sommerfeld, the official spokesman appointed by the German High Command, said: 'Unfortunately, I have to report that the Russians have broken through the German front.' Never since Stalingrad had Major Sommerfeld spoken as gravely.

"This was the first time in the whole of the lengthy Russian offensive that German military circles stated that an actual break-through had been achieved by the Russians. Previously reported breaks-through were always said to have been speedily sealed off.

"It is evident now that it has not yet been possible to stem the onrush of the Russian panzer divisions streaming through the breach. No details of the fighting have been published, and none are expected until the development becomes clearer. But there is talk of this being the biggest battle of the war."—(Reuter.)

Duncan Hooper, Reuter's Staff Correspondent in Moscow, cables that within the next few hours Marshal von Manstein must decide whether to stake everything in a last bid to hold his Dnieper bend positions or to order a fighting withdrawal from thousands of square miles of territory. No less critical is the situation at Kiev, where the Red Army has now reached the northern outskirts of the city.

Reports reaching Moscow say that a large-scale evacuation of the Crimea is already under way.

The Soviet communiqué stated that bridgeheads were enlarged north of Kiev and south of Gomel, that a further advance was made south-east of Kremenchug, and three railway stations captured. "South of Richesta our troops continued their offensive for the extension of their bridgehead on the right bank of the Dnieper, and captured six powerfully fortified centres of resistance." Counter-attacks were repelled in Melitopol, where street fighting continues.

Allied Co-operation

Military Experts at Moscow Talks

THE Three-Power Conference in Moscow yesterday held its first real business meeting. Military experts attended.

Reports from Russia last night stated that Mr. Eden, Mr. Cordell Hull and M. Molotov had already gone deep in their discussion on war-time and post-war co-operation.

From Harold King, Reuter's Special Correspondent in Moscow.

The Three-Power Conference got down to its first important business meeting yesterday after luncheon.

At this meeting Mr. Eden and Mr. Cordell Hull were accompanied by their principal military advisers, General Sir Hastings Ismay, Chief of Staff to Mr. Churchill; and Major-General John Deane, Secretary to the Combined Chiefs of Staff. On the previous day Mr. Eden and Mr. Hull were accompanied by Foreign Office and State Department officials only.

CORDIALITY

Mr. Eden and Mr. Hull, and prominent members of the three groups participating in the discussions, were the guests of M. Molotov at luncheon. Those present included: General Ismay, General Deane, M. Litvinov, M. Vyshinsky, and several Marshals of the Soviet Union, as well as M. Polgunov, head of the Press Department of the Soviet Foreign Office.

In an extremely cordial atmosphere toasts were drunk to the Soviet Union, the United States and Britain, their leaders and their armies. Altogether there were twenty toasts.

Referring to the business meeting, Moscow reports last night said that Mr. Eden, Mr. Cordell Hull and M. Molotov are getting down to hard facts pertaining to military, political and economic problems.

One of the chief British interests in Moscow, apart from the immediate talks, is the Free German Committee established in Russia. Though it might be only a propaganda agency, there is speculation whether it indicates to some extent the terms Germany might be offered if the Nazi Party were overthrown.

The British delegation brought heavy files from London pertaining to European political problems.

Moscow News said yesterday:—"If the Hitlerite Army has not yet been defeated it is only because there is not yet a second front in the West that would turn the present defeats of the Fascist armies into a death-blow for Hitlerite Germany."

British and American participants in the talks have been greatly impressed by the way the Russians are handling the Conference. The first three days, they feel, hold out excellent promise for the success of this historic meeting, which is intended by all three parties to stand on its own feet and produce its own definite results. The British and American representatives are empowered to discuss any questions the Soviet Government cares to raise.

Mr. Cordell Hull.

Allied Advance

NEW PUSH "IMMINENT" IN ITALY

WHILE messages from the Italian battle-front last night stated that the Fifth and Eighth Armies are advancing in all sectors, a Berlin report said there were indications of an imminent new major attack by the Allies.

Stanley Burch, Reuter's Special Correspondent at Allied Headquarters, states that the German forces, in full retreat from the Volturno, are being rallied on a new defence line 10 to 15 miles to the north.

Dovetailing with General Clark's drive forward in the west, the Eighth Army, supported by artillery and tanks, has pierced the German defences and captured the town of Petacciato, ten miles north of Termoli.

Pivoting on their positions north of the Volturno Canal in the waterlogged Capuan Plain, the Germans are falling back on a line running from Mongragone, on the west coast, to Venafro, south-west of Isernia. Mondragone is ten miles north of the Volturno estuary.

The German News Agency, quoting what it describes as usually well-informed sources in Rome, stated last night that an Allied landing in the Rome area is imminent.—(Reuter.)

Decisive gains have been won by the Allies in the last 24 hours. Behind them the Germans have left the bitterly contested cross-roads five miles north of Capua, where the road from Naples to Rome forks into two highways, both running through the new German front. The Germans have been compelled to establish their new line at a point where the distance from coast to coast is only 80 miles.

The new German line in the western plain will be a hard nut to crack. It is only 27 miles long, and consists of a succession of high, rugged mountains, alternating with deep valleys. Rain-swollen streams sweep the ravines.

The capture of Pignatoro, 3½ miles north of Capua, consolidates the Allied hold of the Rome cross-roads, while, six miles further north-east, captured Roccaromano, in the high hills, dominates the Capuan plain to the west, and the Volturno valley to the east. Further east again the Fifth Army's capture of Dragoni, 15 miles north-east of Capua, marks a two miles advance in the Volturno valley.

VILLAGE BATTLES

Bitter encounters have been fought at a number of points on the Eighth Army front. A strong German counter-attack at Monteclifone was decisively repulsed and fierce fighting swayed to and fro around the village of San Stefano, in the same sector. Three miles north of Vinchiaturo, Eighth Army infantry came to grips with Germans defending the village of Baranello. The Germans are determined to hold at all costs the 2,000 feet high ridge dominating the main road from Vinchiaturo to Isernia.

German reinforcements have been sent to this front.

According to a German News Agency report, General Montgomery's 50th (Northumbrian) and 51st (Highland) Divisions have appeared in Southern Italy.—(Reuter.)

Fifth Army reconnaissance has spotted heavy concentrations of German troops on high ground north of Capua Plain in preparation for a large scale counter-blow, said reports from the front last night. A heavy battle is expected.

WHEAT SHORTAGE DISQUIETING

Farmers Faced with Big Tillage Season

IRISH farmers are facing an abnormally heavy tillage season next year, with prospects of even poorer supplies of fertilisers than the 30,000 tons which were made available last season. The normal consumption of fertilisers in general farm work in a pre-war year was 250,000 tons.

This was one of the difficulties mentioned by Dr. James Ryan, Minister for Agriculture, in the Dail yesterday, when he spoke on the agricultural position generally in support of an estimate of £415,000 for 1944.

Imports "Precarious"

"Particularly disquieting" was how the Minister described the wheat position when dealing with tillage figures, which showed that this year's acreage had been about 30,000 above the 2,214,000 of last season, with an increase under oats and barley and a decrease in wheat and potatoes.

"The wheat shortage," he said, "is particularly disquieting, as our reduced shipping capacity and other uncertainties make importation of wheat a precarious matter. We cannot count on continued ability to bring in substantial quantities of food from abroad. There may be a bigger decrease in our shipping capacity, and, even were ships available, we have found that more and more articles are being added to the list that cannot be bought abroad."

Anticipating objections to the compulsory wheat-growing policy, Dr. RYAN said that it would be absolutely impracticable to have an appeal tribunal, because of the substantial number of cases and the loss of time involved.

FARM SUPPLIES

Among interesting facts disclosed by the Minister were the importation during the year of 100 tractors, 100 reapers and binders and 22 threshing sets; the setting aside of £634,000 as a fertiliser subsidy to enable available supplies to be distributed at an economic price; £360,000 for farm improvements, under which scheme 48,000 acres already had been reclaimed; an arrangement with the British Ministry under which 2,000 tons of binder twine—half commercial twine and the other half in the form of sisal—had been imported; a severe lack of horse shoes, relieved at its most acute period by a supply from Great Britain, and the distribution of coal allowances up to ten tons for the movement of threshing machinery. Over 35,500 allotments were cultivated this year, more than 20,000 of them by the unemployed, and it is intended to reconstitute the General Agricultural Consultative Council and make it a permanent body.

On the dairy side, which the Minister described as the "keystone," Dr. RYAN said that creamery butter alone was maintaining 90,000 households, and this year, for the first time in several years, there was an increase of nearly 7,000 cwts. in its production. In spite of the fact that 182,000 cwts., or nearly double the pre-war amount, had been stored this year, there still was a shortage. For the coming winter months, and during the winter of next year, the creamery supplier will be guaranteed 1s. per gallon for milk, and for the period from April 1st to November 30th, 1944, the guaranteed price will be 10½d. per gallon, the increase being partly subsidised. This year £699,000 is necessary to bridge a gap between a retail butter price of 2s. per lb. and a guaranteed milk price of 9d. per gallon.

Exports of eggs are declining. Last year 2,262,000 great hundreds of hen eggs were exported. Stocks of hens and chickens numbered 16,448,000 in 1940 and 14,484,000 last year. Shortages of other foodstuffs have led to a greater home consumption of eggs. Exports of live poultry were worth over two millions last year, but exports of rabbits declined by 35 per cent.

Recalling the milk shortage in Dublin last winter, the Minister said that the Milk Board now expects to be in a position to ensure equitable distribution in the event of a shortage during the coming winter. The average daily consumption in the city in 1938 was 38,711 gallons, and this increased this year to 43,190.

The pig population in 1939, the Minister revealed, was 931,000; in 1940 it was 1,047,000; in 1941, 764,000; in 1942, 519,000; and in 1943, 436,000.

Introducing a supplementary estimate for £24,500, Dr. RYAN said that it was divided into three parts. The first part of the estimate represented the difference between the price paid by the Dublin and District Potato Committee for potatoes during the shortage last summer and the proceeds of the sales of the wholesalers. The Committee had to pay £12 a ton for the potatoes, while the fixed price for the wholesaler was £9 10s. The second part of the estimate represented the subsidy paid for early potatoes, and the third part represented compensation paid to growers who were left with a surplus of potatoes on their hands when the shortage was at an end.

FOOD PRODUCTION

One of the chief criticisms of the Department mentioned in Opposition speeches was the lack of planning in food production. Mr. J. HUGHES (F.G., Carlow-Kildare), who contrasted the decline in production with the enormous expansion in Great Britain, suggested that the greatest

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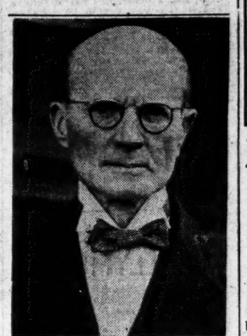

Mr. D. McMenamin (F.G., Donegal, E.), who was elected Deputy-Speaker of Dáil Eireann yesterday, on the proposal of Mr. Seán Og McFadden (F.G., Donegal W.).

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problem facing the agricultural community was the absence of labour. Corn was green in the stook in many parts of the country, he said, for lack of labour, while Irish workers were saving an English harvest.

The unusual suggestion that there should be no criticism, but, instead, a united drive by all parties for food production, was made by the Clann na Talham, Mr. Mi. DONNELLAN. The Minister, he said, should take over all idle land and produce food from it. Claiming that the farmers had been doing their best, he complained that they did not have the facilities they needed, and were not getting attractive prices. Urging an increase in the agricultural labour wage, he advocated the division of the country into tillage belts, with special attention to counties which yielded 12 and 14 barrels of wheat per acre. Finally, he warned the Government of another potato shortage unless something was done to avert it.

SEED WHEAT

Commenting on the decision to make the Agricultural Consultative Council a permanent body, Mr. COGAN (C. na T., Wicklow) observed that, as the Government were creating machinery to secure a vocational Senate, it might be taken advantage of to obtain a good Consultative Council.

Mr. D. MORRISSEY (F.G., Tipperary) asked what was the position with regard to seed wheat for the coming year. In his opinion there was anything from 50 to 70 per cent. less wheat suitable for seed in their stores to-day than this time last year.

There was also the question of the effect of the Compulsory Order on milk production. He was told by some men who supplied their cities and towns that they would have to get rid of some, if not all, their cows. That raised a serious problem about milk supplies for their children, and he wanted to know if the Department were satisfied with the future situation in this regard.

Progress was reported, and the debate adjourned till to-day.

American Review of War

Members of the United States House of Representatives, at a secret meeting yesterday, received a detailed review of the war situation from Mr. Henry Stimson, Secretary of War; General George Marshall, Chief of Staff, and strategy experts.

Members of Congress told reporters afterwards that American military chiefs supplied the following information as part of an overall picture:—

Siberian Bases.—Even if Russia would permit the United Nations to build or use the airports at Vladivostock, Japan has 500,000 men within a short distance and the airports would be difficult to defend.

Pacific.—Japan is building 'planes faster than the United Nations are destroying them. The Japanese man-power problem has not yet become as serious as that of the United States.

Transport.—The transport of supplies remains one of the chief war problems, with big losses in landings. 'Planes are still a long way from supplanting ships.—(Reuter.)

Minister Unaware of Inferior Seed Wheat

ANSWERING Mr. T. J. O'Donovan (F.G.), Dr. RYAN Minister for Agriculture, said, in the Dail yesterday, that he was not aware of reports regarding the quality of wheat and oats in the 1943 harvest which pointed to the danger of inferior seed for the coming season. Provided the supply of wheat and oats available were properly cleaned for seed purposes there was no reason to anticipate that the quality generally would not be up to a reasonable standard. Under the Department scheme a substantial quantity of spring wheat was assembled by the seedsmen under a guarantee against loss in the disposal of unsold residues of stocks. Maximum prices for seed wheat had been fixed and standards of germination and moisture content prescribed.

The quantity of seed oats of good quality which would be available through trade channels would depend on the extent to which growers would be prepared to dispose of their grain to seedsmen in a position to clean and prepare it for seed purposes. In the past four seasons seedsmen were able to procure only limited supplies, but it was hoped that with the present free market in oats larger quantities would be made available for growers.

Dr. RYAN, answering Mr. Dillon (Indept.) said he thought if traders placed their orders early in the season they would get seed at prices which would allow a reasonable profit. As regards purity of type, the inspection of the crop was the function of the seedsmen.

BACON COMMISSION

Answering Mr. J. Hughes (F.G.), Dr. RYAN said that the Pigs and Bacon Commission consisted of a chairman, with remuneration of £1,000 a year, and two ordinary members (civil servants), who each receive an allowance of £100 per annum from the funds of the Commission. The Commission employed 17 clerical assistants at an approximate total monthly remuneration of £375. It was not his intention to dissolve the Commission, but the question of economies was under review.

Asked by Mr. O. J. Flanagan whether "the signature of His Majesty King George VI. of England is appended to the credentials of Eire's representatives abroad," Mr. DE VALERA replied: "The answer is in the affirmative."

Mr. S. MacENTEE, Minister for Local Government and Public Health, told Mr. W. Norton (Lab.) that the problem of tuberculosis was receiving special examination at present, and he did not think there would be anything to be gained in setting up a committee to investigate a particular aspect of it.

SALES OF LAND

"Extensive speculation by nonnationals and others in the sale of large ranches in the Midlands" was alleged in the Dail yesterday, during question time, by Mr. P. Giles (F.G.).

Mr. S. MOYLAN, Minister for Lands, told him that the Land Commission had no power or intention to prevent private sales of lands by the owners. Such sales did not prevent the possible future acquisition for division.

Mr. MOYLAN told Mr. Fitz-Gerald-Kenney (F.G.) that 20,000 acres of land had been purchased up to March 31 last by the Land Commission for division. Acquisition had to be confined virtually to urgent cases owing to emergency conditions.

Mr. SMITH (for the Minister for Finance) told Mr. P. J. Fogarty that he was not prepared to remove the import duty on matches. Mr. Smith also said that he was not prepared to extend the present statutory maximum limit of means for the receipt of old age pensions. He told Ald. M. O'Sullivan (Lab.) that he was not aware that there was general dissatisfaction regarding the manner in which the means of old age pensioners was calculated.

GIFT FOOD DUTY

Mr. SMITH told Mr. H. M. Dockrell (F.G.) that he would consider making statutory provision for the suspension of the minimum duty charge in the case of gift parcels of food, but he was not prepared to make provision for the admission of gift parcels generally without payment of the actual duty involved.

Mr. G. BOLAND, Minister for Justice, told Mr. P. J. Fogarty (F.F.) that the Gardai had received reports of the breaking of windows in four houses in Crumlin area in which Fianna Fail posters were displayed during the general election, but the culprits had not been traced. He hoped the new Crumlin Civic Guard station would be opened before the end of the year. Nine sergeants and 40 Civic Guards would be allocated to the new station.

Drifting Mines off Wexford

MASTERS of ships and others are warned by the Department of Industry and Commerce that a number of drifting mines have been observed in the vicinity of Carnsore Point, Co. Wexford.

No 'Politics' in Farms Allotment

IN the Dail yesterday, Mr. T. J. MURPHY (Lab.) asked the Taoiseach if his attention had been directed to newspaper reports of a statement alleged to have been made by the Minister for Lands at the recent Fianna Fail Ard Fheis, in which the Minister was alleged to have stated that, other things being equal, the fruits of Government policy should go to Government supporters.

Mr. DE VALERA replied that, in summarising his speech, some of the newspapers gave an inaccurate impression of the Minister's remarks regarding the allotment of land, the whole purport of which was in a contrary sense to that suggested by the terms of the question. The point made by the Minister was that, while there was no question of apologising for a claim that the fruits of Government policy should go, other things being equal, to those who by their national action and by their support had enabled that policy to be carried into effect, the fundamental consideration in the allotment of land was that those who received farms should be capable of making efficient use of them.

Mr. MURPHY—May I take it from the Taoiseach's answer that he approves of the policy that, other things being equal, the fruits of Government policy should go to Government supporters?

MINISTER'S AIM

Mr. DE VALERA—Is it the deputy's suggestion that they should not go, other things being equal—that they should be excluded?

Mr. MURPHY—Certainly not.

Mr. FitzGERALD-KENNEY (F.G.)—May I ask if I am to understand that the politics of an applicant are to be considered when the Land Commission are allocating land?

Mr. DE VALERA—The Minister made it clear—in fact, the whole purport of his intervention in dealing with the matter was that the basis on which land was to be given was that it was to be given to those who were best able to use it.

Mr. FitzGERALD-KENNEY—Irrespective of their political views?

Mr. DE VALERA—Irrespective of their political views.

Mr. MURPHY—May I ask the Taoiseach whether he would give us a clear and definite statement as to whether in matters of this kind all persons having claims would get consideration fairly and evenly.

Mr. DE VALERA—That is so.

Mr. DILLON—If there are two applicants whose circumstances were in every particular identical, except that one is Fianna Fail and the other one is not, who will get the land?

Mr. DE VALERA—Who would get the land if the deputy was dealing with it?

Mr. DILLON—The man the Land Commission thought the best, and not the Fianna Fail club.

Mr. DE VALERA—Exactly; then we do not interfere.

British Empire Air Plan

Lord Beaverbrook, Lord Privy Seal, who is in charge of co-ordinating British post-war civil air transport policy, told the House of Lords last night that a British Empire air plan has been prepared, and is ready to go forward at once to an international conference. He was replying to a debate initiated by the Marquis of Londonderry, who said he was sure that co-operation would be developed between Britain, America and Russia in connection with the great air lines throughout the world.

Retailers Want Food Shops Licensed

"BLACK market" operators in the food trade were condemned by speakers at the first annual convention of the Retail Grocers', Dairy and Allied Trades' Association, which was held yesterday at the Gresham Hotel, Dublin, when it was decided to ask the Government's help in setting up a permanent licensing and registration system for food shops.

Mr. R. Knight, President of the Association of Wholesale Grocers, Importers and Distributors, said that a system of licensing or registration would mean that they would have to give some sort of control to the State, but individual enterprise should not be smothered. Some of those who were responsible for the "black market" were now creeping back into business, sometimes even without shops, by getting hold of goods which were in short supply and making profits of five and six hundred per cent.

Mr. F. M. Summerfield, President, Federation of Irish Manufacturers, said that the importance of their trade to the community should give them the power to lay down conditions for those who proposed to come into it.

Mr. V. J. McCarthy, President, said that no section of the business community was in such need of a complete overhaul as the grocery, dairy and provision business. They were realising the futility of cut-throat competition, price-cutting, and the greatest scourge of all, bad credit. If the grocery trade was to survive the post-war period a licensing system somewhat similar to that which applied in the wine and spirit trade was not only desirable but essential.

Mr. Sean Lemass, Minister for Supplies, in a message which was read by the President, wrote that whether or not the present restrictions would have to be continued after the war—and there was full agreement on abolishing them as soon as circumstances permitted—it was essential that every trade should have its representative body to study its problems and protect its interests in the new and difficult economic conditions of the future.

It was stated in the report for the year that the total membership was 2,115, representing every town and county in Eire.

The licensing of shops, the report continued, would improve conditions in the trade, but the Executive considered that another step in this direction could be taken by the introduction of vocational education for apprentices.

The latest available figures showed that the trade handled £23,000,000 annually, employed over 20,000 workers, and paid an annual wage bill of £1,500,000. At a safe estimate, 100,000 persons depended directly upon it for a livelihood.

Mr. V. S. McCarthy was re-elected President. Vice-Presidents, Mr. W. J. Foster-Smith (Cork), Mr. F. O'Gorman (Bundoran), and Mr. T. Mitchell (Sligo); hon. treasurer, Mr. W. O'Neill; joint hon. secs., Mr. P. Somers and Mr. J. A. Connolly.

A deputation from the Association is to call on the Department of Supplies to-day to discuss the profit margin on several commodities. Other matters decided by the convention were:—Arrangements to take a vote among members regarding the questions of the licensing of traders and the permanent retention of the Early Closing Order; and the establishment of a Credit Information Bureau, which would issue information to traders of customers on the "black list" (habitual bad payers). The matter of freight charges on commodities handled by the trade was also discussed. Cork Grocers', Provision and Allied Trades' Association became affiliated to R.G.D.A.T.A.

War Crimes Commission

FINAL arrangements for the immediate establishment in London of the United Nations' Commission for the investigation of war crimes have been agreed, the British Foreign Office announced last night.

Agreement was reached earlier yesterday at a meeting at the Foreign Office under the chairmanship of the Lord Chancellor.

Representatives of the Governments of Australia, Belgium, Canada, China, Czechoslovakia, Greece, India, Luxembourg, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Union of South Africa, United Kingdom and Northern Ireland, United States of America, Yugoslavia and the French National Committee attended.

Russia was not represented, but a communication is to be forwarded to the Soviet Government expressing the hope that she will take part in the Commission as soon as possible.

China is setting up a committee to investigate Japanese atrocities to be formed jointly by the Ministries of Foreign Affairs, Justice and War, Reuter cables from Chungking.

Captain Cunningham-Reid (Ind., Marylebone) asked the Foreign Secretary yesterday in the House of Commons whether, in order to deter war criminals at large from the crimes they are committing, Herr Hess would be tried forthwith and the sentence be carried out immediately afterwards. Mr. Law, Minister of State, answered: "No, sir."

Kildare Protest Against Migrants

At a meeting in Naas, addressed by Messrs. W. Norton, T.D., and J. Hughes, T.D., a protest was made against the settling of migrants from the West of Ireland on divided estates in Co. Kildare whilst local applicants were ignored. A deputation was appointed to interview the Minister for Lands.

Air Offensive

The Allied daylight air offensive was resumed yesterday with a Flying Fortress attack on Western Germany. Airfields in occupied territory were also bombed.

R.A.F. Spitfires, in two of the sweeps, destroyed 12 German 'planes without loss, it is stated.

The Emperor of Japan attended a meeting of the Japanese Cabinet yesterday at which the Treaty of Alliance between Japan and the Philippine Republic was unanimously ratified, according to a Japanese News Agency message, quoted by Reuter.

Fire at Dublin Brewery

For several hours this morning Dublin firemen battled with a fire which broke out in one of Messrs. Arthur Guinness's huge grain-drying stores in Thomas Court, Dublin, and at times threatened other buildings in the street. Well under way when first discovered at 1.45 a.m., by Miss Barry, the firm's resident nurse—who lives in an adjoining building—the fire spread rapidly, and soon the four-storey building, which extends over an area of fifty square yards, was a mass of flames, with smoke billowing hundreds of feet into the air and sparks showering on surrounding streets.

Fire units from Tara street, Thomas street and Rathmines were quickly on the scene, and, assisted by Messrs. Guinness's fire brigade, were soon pouring thousands of gallons of water on the blazing building. From the very start, however, it was obvious that nothing could be done to save the store, and the firemen concentrated on preventing the fire spreading to adjoining grain-drying stores. Two units of the new Army Civil Defence Fire-Fighting Company also assisted.

Over fifty men were employed in the stores, which contained a quantity of sacks and a large number of machines for drying grain residue left over after brewing.

As a precautionary measure, people living in Rainsford avenue, which adjoins Thomas Court, were removed from their houses.

At the time of going to press the firemen appeared to have the outbreak confined to the store where it originated.

Planning in the North

Moving the Second Reading of the Planning (Interim Development) Bill in the Northern Ireland House of Commons yesterday, Mr. W. Lowry said that its main objects were, first, to extend planning control over the entire province and, secondly, to strengthen control over development until plans were provided by the various authorities. Under the 1931 Act, only three places had taken steps for planning—Belfast, Derry and Bangor. So far as the Belfast scheme was concerned it had been quite outmoded by the great destruction in the air raid of 1941. Provision was made for the setting up of joint committees and the co-operation of neighbouring authorities. The Belfast plan was far advanced and it would be wrong if the two rural authorities adjoining should do anything to obstruct any plan. Clause 2 of the bill deals with the setting up of a central planning authority.

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Miss Paget's Good Year in England

THE fourth war-time flat racing season ended at Newmarket yesterday. Racing was successful everywhere. Prize money at all meetings was increased, the attendances were large, and at Ascot on October 2nd takings for the tote double broke the previous record.

In addition to being the leading owner, Miss Paget, with Straight Deal, won her first Derby. She is one of the few owners who have won the Derby and the Grand National. Lord Derby secured most of his winnings by the aid of Herringbone, who won the 1,000 Guineas and the St. Leger. Mr. J. V. Rank gained his second classic success with Why Hurry, winner of the Oaks, and Mr. A. E. Saunders owes a prominent position in the owners' list to the victory of Kingsway in the 3,000 Guineas. King George won six races with four horses, who secured £2,234.

Gordon Richards is the champion jockey for the sixteenth time. He beat Fred Archer's record of 2,749 winners when riding Scotch Mist to victory at Windsor on Easter Monday. The Derby still eludes him. Richards won the Gold Cup on Ujiji and the Champion Stakes on Nasrullah. T. H. Carey, Miss Paget's jockey, had a remarkable run of success. At Ascot on August 28th he rode five winners in succession.

That the breeding industry is in a healthy state was shown at all the principal bloodstock sales. The National Stud had its record public sale in July, when four yearlings were sold for 13,700 guineas, an average of 3,425 guineas.

The leading owners, trainers and jockeys for the season are:—

Owners:—Miss Paget, £13,145; Lord Derby, £7,045; Aga Khan, £5,596; Lord Rosebery, £4,585.

Trainers:—W. Nightingall, £13,838; Frank Butters, £8,359; J. Lawson, £7,939; M. J. Colling, £6,144; J. Jarvis, £5,532.

Jockeys:—G. Richards, 63; T. H. Carey, 44; E. Smith, 33; W. Nevett, 27; C. Richards, 24.

NEWMARKET RESULTS

1.45—ALINGTON T.Y.O. PLATE, £251. 6 f.—**Ocar Swell,** b. c. by Blue Peter-Jiffy (Lord Rosebery), 8-12 (E. Smith) (8/11), 1; Golden Cloud, 8-12 (M. Beary) (7/2), 2; Great Tit, c., 8-12 (Littlewood) (100/6), 3; All Moonshine, 8-12 (Tebrau, Lamprey, Port of London, Sousi f., Cinquetoil, Silver Fox II. f., Fazeh, Sunsome, Croix de Guerre, Make Haste, Coming Up, Nutbrown Maid, Black Selene, Seamask f., Triptych. J. Jarvis 2½; 2l, 1 m 16 2-5 secs.

12.15—QUEENSBERLY HANDICAP, £251. 6 f.—**Lady of Valence,** ch. f. by William of Valence—Lydia (Mr. R. J. Colling), 7-10 (Maher) (25-1, 1; Swance River 8-12 (Bridgland) (100/8), 2; Mr. Sellers, 8-0 (E. Smith) (4/1 f.), 3; Ti-Chin 4, Open Warfare, Chancer, Burning Bow, Kobold, Black Strap, Dinorama, Acclaimed, Easter Parade, Llanelwedd R. J. Collins. Neck, short head. 1 m. 15 1-5 secs.

12.45—NEWMARKET CAMBRIDGESHIRE, £840. 1 m.—**Quartier Maitre,** ch. g. by The Monarch—Quatre Saisons (Mr. L. Lipton), 8-9 (Carey) (8/1), 1; Full Bloom, 8-13 (H. Wragg), (7/1), 2; Chanda, 9-0 (Jones) (10/1), 3; Response 4, Bronze Beauty (f.), Peradventure, Glossary, Baman, Tinker's Fire, Brush Off, Asiatic Metal Cholo, Chinde, British Museum, T. R. Leader. Head; 1½l. 1 m. 43 1-5 secs.

1.15—DEWHURST T.Y.O. STAKES, £777. 7f.—**Effervescence,** gr. c. by Mr. Jinks—Song of Dawn (Mrs. Hartigan), 9-2 (G. Richards) (6/1), 1; Fair Glint, 8-9 (D. Smith) (100/6), 2; Model, 8-6 (E. Smith) (11/8 f.), 3; Merry Mark 4, Borealis, The Cob, Wood Cot, Senor Brume, Foire de Lyons, Archive, R. J. Colling. Sh. head; 2l. 1 min. 29-5 secs.

1.45—HEATH HANDICAP, £494. 1m. 6f. 150yds.—**Massowa,** b. c. by Massine—Evangelin (Aga Khan), 8-7 (G. Richards) (7-2 joint f.) 1; Roanoke, 7-11 (C. Richards) (7-2, joint f.), 2; Courtier, 7-3 (J. Doyle) (10/1), 3; Triumvir 4, Barolia, Paradise Girl, Paint Pot, Fearless Highlander, Marble Faun, Veracity, Wishwell, Fk. Butters. Neck; ¾l. 3 mins. 13-5 secs.

2.15—RICHMOND NURSERY, £552. 1 m.—**Martlet,** b. c. by Mieuxce—Sickle Moon (Mr. J. L. Jarvis), 8-10 (E. Smith) (3/1), 1; Chand-Froid, 7-13 (Thwaites) (20-1), 2; Siesta, 7-8 (C. Richards) (33/1), 3; Sky Born 4, Crimson Lake, Hang Fire, Delia (f.), John Peel, Slow March, Silver Mount f., Yankee Doodle, Night in Bombay, Linosa, Braille, Barnt Green, Hand in Hand, Torch, Cave of the Winds, Blessport. J. Jarvis. 1½l.; sh. head. 4 mins. 3-4-5 secs.

2.45—BLUNTISHAM PLATE, £251. 1 m.—**Big Sam,** ch. h. by Buttisimo—Scotia's Glen (Sir V. Sassoon), 8-12 (Lowrey) (100/7), 1; Babylon, 8-9 (H. Wragg) (2/1), 2; Detector, 8-12 (Jones) (5/1), 3; Gillyblom 4, Direct, Tweets, Tetracos, Hyderabad (f.). J. Payne. 2l.; same. 1 min. 43 2-5 secs.

FINGAL HARRIERS

There was a large attendance at the annual meeting of the Fingal Harriers' Hunt Club held in the Gresham Hotel, Dublin, Mr. Alex. Craigie, who has been joint field master for the past twenty years, retired from office, and Mr. John Craigie, jun., was unanimously elected in his place. Mr. John Hely-Hutchinson was re-elected for the north end of the country.

A vote of condolence was passed to the family of the late Mrs. W. B. Carson, a past joint field master of the hunt.

The regular hunting days will be Tuesday and Friday, as heretofore; but the opening meet will be held in the town of Swords on Saturday, 30th October, at 3.30 o'clock. M. Grant will again carry the horn, with W. Ross as whip.

Notwithstanding transport difficulties, prospects for the coming season are bright. The annual hunt ball will be held in the Gresham Hotel on Friday, 17th December.

HANDBALL.

At the Depôt Court, John and Austin Clarke (Metropolitan), ex-Irish champions, set up a record by winning the Dublin Senior h.b. championship for the fourth successive year. This is their 23rd title to date.

SURPRISES AT BALLYMUN

The defeat of Cold Evening, the Oaks winner, and the withdrawal of Clooshan, who won last year's Derby as Clonmel, provided a couple of surprises in the Harold's Cross Cup at St. Margarets coursing meeting at Ballymun yesterday.

Clooshan ran much below his customary form. In his first course with Joyful Admiral he was unsighted, and when slipped the second time did not show any sparkle in his running. The second outing was too much for him, and he was withdrawn.

Cold Evening was put out by the speedy Swell. This was one of the closest tests for pace of the day, and nearing the hare Swell shot out for the turn and retained her advantage in the run-in to win by a length.

Kosta Bok got off so lightly in leading Fair King, and picking up in his stride, that he is strongly fancied to win outright; but Moonlight Tea is showing such decisive pace that he will make a strong bid for success.

GOLF CLUB NOTICES

Royal Dublin.—Dollymount Cup final—T. J. Gleeson beat D. Herlihy, 5 and 3.

Rossmore.—Healy Cup, 36 holes—Dawson Patton (24) runs. Mr. W. J. McWilliam (3) 139, Supt. J. Ryan (8) 139.

Gilt Dara.—Duffers' stake—J. J. Doyle 68, P. Walsh 69. Sunday next—Mixed foursomes; choose partners; draw 2.30.

Lucan.—Sunday next—Competition for members—No old man win prize during the year, 18 holes, bogey.

Bray.—Wednesday Cup final—Capt. Kelly (12) beat P. F. Bailey (8). Ladies' foursome—Mrs. Andrews and Mrs. Stone, 2 holes. Strokes, for members who have played in six competitions and not won a first prize; draws 10.15, 10.30, 2.30.

Portmarnock.—Prizes in captain's competition—W. Andrews, H. Simms, J. O'Neill, E. Lutman. Two-ball Competition—R. A. Owen. American Tournament—H. Simms.

CURRAGH BACKS WERE WEAK

LANSDOWNE..... 9 CURRAGH..... 0

Lansdowne, who were without Con Murphy, F. Cosgrove and Noel Burke, beat Curragh Command at Lansdowne road yesterday by three tries to nil. The Curragh team has improved vastly since last season, and their forwards yesterday held their own both in the set scrums and the loose but the handling of the backs and their attempts to open up the play were very weak.

M. O'Flanagan and J. Cagney scored tries in the first half, and Cagney again got over towards the end of the game.

IRISH TANDEM RECORD.

T. F. Quinn (National) and F. R. Baird (Harp) set up a new Irish tandem record when in the 25 miles time trial of the Round Tower Cycling Club on the Navan road they covered the distance in 54 mins. 13 secs. This time is 21 secs. faster than the previous best, set up by B. J. Donnelly and H. Breadon in August, 1935.

Rovers in Cup Semi-final

SHELBOURNE 1. ROVERS 8

Shamrock Rovers were not flattered by their two goals' margin over Shelbourne in their replayed Leinster Cup tie at Ringsend yesterday, and can blame poor finishing by their forwards for not having won even more decisively. This success puts Rovers in the semi-final. The Shelbourne defence was completely off colour, and, though Delaney was excellent in the earlier stages, and Crowe and Coad made some good individual attempts, the Rovers' front line did not function smoothly enough as a whole to exploit this circumstance to the full.

The Shelbourne forwards showed up poorly against a sound Rovers' defence, and most of the bright touches came from Gannon and T. Kinsella. McCluskey was well held by Byrne.

Rovers went ahead in the second minute, when Coad beat McAlinden with an oblique shot, following good work by Crowe. After twenty-five minutes Shelbourne equalised through Cassidy, who headed home a perfect centre from Gannon; but they were in arrears again two minutes later, when Harris scored with a header from a cross by Delaney, who had beaten Oiphert cleverly. Delaney himself made it three soon after, scoring from about fifteen yards after his first attempt had rebounded off Oiphert's.

Suspension Lifted. — The Football Association announces that they have raised the *sine die* suspension of W. Mitchell, the Ireland, Chelsea and Bristol City player. Mitchell will play for Bristol City against Aberaman on Saturday.

SHELBOURNE PARK GREYHOUNDS

525 YDS.—Curious Wattle (5), 3/1, 1; Lewis's Corner (2), 7/1, 2; Melvaron (6), 6/1, 3; One for the Public (1), 7/1, 4; Nellie Dear (4), 10/1, 5; Up Castlemermott (3), 4/1, 4l.; 4l. 32.18. O'Carroll (Mr. B. Hickey).

960 YDS.—Osprey Clip (5), 6/1, 1; Riverside Man (1), 5/4, 2; Johnny Marshall (6), 4/1, 3; Tarka (3), 7/1, 4; Centaur Lass (4), 6/1, 5; Model Blossom (2), 7/2, did not finish. 2l.; 5l. 21.02. Owner (Mr. S. Scallan).

525 YDS.—Castle Cure (1), 3/1, 1; Jumping Reaper (6), 7/2, 2; Typical Rowley (4), 2/1, 3; Friendly Wally (5), 6/1, 4; Regal Heir (2), 6/1, 5; Feraun Brigade (3), 5/1, 6. sht. hd.; 3l. 31.66. Owner (Mr. O'Reilly).

380 YDS.—Sunlight Sonata (6), 4/6, 1; Jubilee Round (1), 5/1, 2; Gay Guy (5), 3; Merry Sue (3), 7/2, 4; Junior Fortune (2), 5/1, 5. 1½l.; 3l. 21.57 Owner (Mr. J. R. Johnston).

525 YDS.—Waltz Time (1), 7/4, 1; Bella's Rose (4), 3; Wild Gael (3), 7/2, 3; Cutleen Dasher (6), 5/2, 4; Strange Molly (5), 8/1, 5. 1l.; 4l. 30.59. Owner (Mr. W. Lawless).

560 YDS.—Mystery Angel (6), 8/1, 1; Princess Neptune (1), 6/1, 2; Castedown Shaggy (3), 5/2, 3; Rathtool Girl (2), 7/1, 4; Duchess (4), 6/4, 5; Pass Driver (5), 8/1, 6. 2l.; 3l. 32.97. Owner (Mr. R. McDonald).

525 YDS.—Twilight Shades (6), 3/1, 1; Scorching Bird (3), 4/1, 2; Strange Rambler (1), 3/1, 3; Garrydoolis Biddy (5), 2/1, 4; Eagle Island Chime (4), 4/1, 5; Leap in Hope (2), 5/1, 6. 2l.; 2l. 31.25. Owner (Mr. J. Lawler).

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525 YARDS—Forward Cut, Pay Boy, Can't Back, Crois Na Shea, **Midnight Manhattan,** Curraghbridge Man, Malvaron Ballymoozer.

525 YARDS—Midnight Prince, Hilar Lad, Sporting G, Missing Cruiser, **Hello Master,** Wrights Iris, Favourite Cut, Sweep.

525 YARDS—Tinkers Valley, Lovely Record, Mixed Speed, **Baytown Willow,** Limo Jane, Dalton Peach, Jingling Reaper, Balla Vogue.

525 YARDS—Perfect Tone, Shaggy Knock, Cora Colleen, **Baytown Crocus,** Lehena Jane, We Go Fast, Athlone Stella, Lobitlow.

525 YARDS (Hurdles)—Brown Stout, **Hopeful Mystery,** Never Bold, Ulster Row, Mighty Hope.

525 YARDS—Dawn Deer, Fetuel **Rover,** Bad Intentions, Dundanion Cross, Silver Cub, Glen Boyo, Gay Guy, Balla Vogue.

525 YARDS—Josey Mac, Speedist, Smutton, **Long Lane Meadow,** Linehan's Lane, Spitfire, Uppercross Peg, Betune Beauty.

FIELD TRIALS AT CASTLECOMER

The Irish Field Trials Association held their trials over Captain Prior Wandesford's grounds at Castlecomer on Tuesday and yesterday. Results:—

Open All-aged Stake—1, Canon J. Nelson's Flash of the Glebe; 2, Mr. A. L. Speirs's Garry of Burton; 3, Mr. R. Chapman's Yankee of Kilcullaheen; res., Rev. T. Murphy's All in a Fog.

Open Stake for Retrievers—1, Mr. T. Matthews's Victory the Second; 2, Mr. R. Chapman's Kilcullaheen Jet; 3, Mrs. Eustace Duckett's Castlemore Command; res., Mr. R. N. Wellington's Lady Ray.

Novices' Stake—1, Mr. R. C. Devlin's Quail of Crobally; 2, Mrs. Holt's Menaifron Tim O'Moy; 3, Rev. H. Boate's Rutland Rock; res., Mr. A. H. Verschoyle's Ardridhe Bright.

Brace Stake—1, Mr. A. H. Verschoyle's Ardridhe Spark and Ardridhe Sprite; 2, Mrs. Hoey's Menaifron Tim O'Moy and Menaifron Winsome; 3, Rev. T. Murphy's All in a Fog and Knockmahon Lady.

BOWLING

Kenilworth B.C. Winners.—Club Championship—Nevin. Senior Handicap—W. J. Flook. Junior Handicap—A. Maddocks Pairs Championship—A. P. Harding and M. Simpson. Rink Championship—W. Andrews, H. Simms, J. O'Neill, E. Lutman. Two-ball Competition—R. A. Owen. American Tournament—H. Simms.

Illegal Operation Charges

How a Co. Cork girl came to Dublin and had an illegal operation performed on her was told in the Dublin Circuit Criminal Court yesterday, when five people appeared before Judge Davitt.

Mrs. Mary Moloney, High road, Kilmainham, and Christopher Williams, chemist, Old Kilmainham, pleaded guilty to a charge of conspiring to perform an illegal operation. Moloney pleaded guilty and Williams not guilty to using an instrument or other means to procure the miscarriage of the girl. They were put back.

Mrs. Mary McColgan, Lower Rathmines road, and Mrs. Annie Robinson, High road, Kilmainham, pleaded not guilty to a similar conspiracy charge. Mrs. Robinson pleaded guilty to a separate charge of aiding and abetting Moloney and Williams in the use of an instrument.

The girl in evidence, said that she came to Dublin to have the operation done, and was introduced by Mrs. Moloney to Mrs. McColgan, in whose house on the Rathmines road she stayed. Operations were performed on her by Mrs. Moloney in Mrs. Moloney's house and one in Mrs. McColgan's house. She was also given medicine by Williams. The abortion ultimately took place. She paid Mrs Moloney £35.

To Mr. D. Bell, she said that in Cork she had heard that people named Moloney and Williams had a nursing home in Rathmines for this purpose.

John Haverty, a Civic Guard, Phœnix Park Depôt, pleaded not guilty of conspiracy to use instruments to procure the miscarriage of another girl; inciting to fabricate evidence and fabricating evidence. He was put back to be tried separately.

Mr. R. J. McLoughlin, S.C., and Mr. Felix Sherry (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) prosecuted; Mr. T. McGuckin, S.C. (instructed by Mr. R. O'Doherty, solicitor) appeared for Mrs. McColgan; Mr. D. Bell (instructed by Mr. H. Good) appeared for Mrs. Robinson; Mr. E. Fahy (instructed by Mr. L. Trant McCarthy) appeared for Haverty.

Woman Charged with Manslaughter

Miss Kathleen McLoughlin (60), 30 Berkeley road, Dublin, was charged on remand before District Justice McCann in Dublin yesterday with the manslaughter of a six months old child, named Mary Gallagher; with neglecting the child and two other children named Mary Barbara and Raphael Mullally. The case was adjourned until October 27th.

Dr. F. R. Bourke, Kenilworth square, said he examined six children at Miss McLoughlin's house on October 6th. Mary Barbara, aged 3 years, was undersized, bow-legged and cold and purple, due to rickets. Raphael Mullally, aged 3, was in poor condition, suffered from bronchitis, was unable to stand without support, and could only make a poor attempt to walk. Rickets might account for that. Mary Gallagher was extremely wasted and in need of immediate medical attention, due to lack of proper feeding.

Dr. J. McGrath, State Pathologist, said that on October 11th he held *post-mortem* on Mary Gallagher. The body was very emaciated and weighed only 7lb. 8oz. Death was due to cerebral congestion and hæmorrhage.

Station Sergeant P. Gorman said that when he visited 30 Berkeley road, Miss McLoughlin said she had three children, but he saw six and afterwards had them removed to the Union.

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Pending the repair of Electricity Supply Board main supply cables, severed by three barrage balloons which drifted in over Howth on Tuesday afternoon, residents of Baily, Sutton, Baldoyle and North-East Dublin were served by alternative circuits of the Board's network. Of the three balloons, two became entangled in overhead electric cables at Malahide and Baldoyle, and were later taken away by parties of military. The damage has now been repaired.

Offending Cartoon

A cartoon in *Barrack Variety* was the subject of a question in the Dail yesterday.

Mr. O. J. FLANAGAN (Monetary Reformer) asked the Minister for Education "whether he is aware that a scurrilous attack on the Irish language in the form of a cartoon on the cover appeared in the September issue of *Barrack Variety;* that an advertisement by An Gum appeared in the succeeding issue (renamed *Passing Variety*); and whether he will withdraw all further Departmental advertisements from this journal until such time as a guarantee is obtained from the proprietors that the Irish language shall not be made directly or indirectly the subject of a cartoon."

Mr. T. DERRIG, Minister for Education, replied:—I am grateful to the deputy for drawing my attention to this matter, and I am taking appropriate action regarding it.

Counter-offensive by Japanese

General MacArthur's spokesman said last night that the Japanese counter-offensive against Finschafen had made progress for the second day in succession.—(Reuter.)

RELIGIOUS PROFESSION.

Sister M. John Joseph, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lynch, 12 Westland Row, Dublin, and sister of Rev. Brother J. T. Lynch, Irish Christian Brothers, Armagh, also of Sister Marina, Chicago, has, on the 31st of August, made her solemn profession of perpetual vows in the Order of the Blessed Sacrament, Pennsylvania, U.S.A. On leaving Ireland in October, 1932, Sister John Joseph spent five years in the mother house of the Order, Pennsylvania, and has since taught in Chicago and Columbus, Ohio.

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Shoe Rivets from America
Indirect evidence that rivets came from America via the Border, was given yesterday during the fourth day of the trial in the Circuit Criminal Court, Dublin, before Judge Connolly, in which five Dublin shoe-repairers are each charged with feloniously receiving, between December 24, 1941, and December 24, 1942, from James Quinn, of 14 Shaw street, shoe-making and shoe-repairing accessories to the value of £134 12/-, or portion thereof, the property of the British United Shoe Machinery Co., Ltd. 184 Pearse street, Dublin.
The accused men are:—Samuel Milton, Glendun road, Whitehall; Albert William Mooney, Naas road, Inchicore; Alexander Graham, Botanic road; Thomas Patrick McMannmon, of Moonbawn, Portmarnock; and John Halpin, 141 Abbey street.
Alexander Graham stated that a man, whom he now knew to be Quinn, came into his shop selling rivets, and told him that they came from America via the Border. He (Graham) had never bought rivets from the British United Shoe Machinery Co.

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IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF

Broke into Convalescent Home.—At Kilmainham yesterday John Watkins, no fixed address, was sentenced to one month's imprisonment, with hard labour, for breaking into Mount Convalescent Home with intent to commit a felony.

Bonus for Steel Workers.—Employees in the Irish steel constructional and iron industries have been awarded a supplementary bonus of ½d. per hour, bringing their bonus to 6.11 for a 47-hour week and 6/5 for a 44-hour week, and payable from September 4th.

Dublin Food and Fuel Scheme.—During last week 19,647 persons received fuel under the Summer Fuel Scheme to the amount of 491 tons 3 cwt. 2 qrs., it was stated at yesterday's meeting of the Commissioners for the Dublin Board of Assistance. The total number of food vouchers distributed was 7,966. Assistance was granted to 8,687 cases at a cost of £5,592.

France a Spiritual Nation.—Every nation is interested in the re-birth of France, said Professor Chauviré, speaking on "La Mission de la France," at yesterday's meeting of the Dublin French Society, held at 16 St. Stephen's Green. The renaissance of France must be along spiritual lines, and her spiritual interests did not clash with the interests of any other nation, he said. Sir Robert Tate presided.

Antique Dealer's Property Sale.—The three-day sale of the property of the late Mr. C. Parker Cussen, at 49 Grafton street, concluded yesterday. Prices on the whole were not very high in comparison with the previous days. Two convex mirrors fetched 18 guineas and eight guineas; a Sheraton-style dressing table was sold for 12 guineas, and a Venetian mirror for six guineas. The auctioneers were Messrs. Archbold Corry and O'Connor, Lower Ormond quay.

Gifts for Red Cross Juniors.—Forty school branches of the Junior Red Cross, and as many more as become affiliated to the Society before distribution arrangements are made, will be eligible to share the 2,000 gift boxes being sent by the American Red Cross for Christmas. A similar consignment last year contained such articles as dolls, games, penknives, paints, ribbons, puzzles, handkerchiefs, and soap. The affiliation fee ranges from 2/6 to 4/- for each branch, in accordance with the number of members.

Dublin City's Gas Hours Controversy

SUGGESTIONS for improvements in the present gas rationing system are carefully considered by the Dublin Gas Company, but it is the considered opinion of the company that any system other than that at present in use would not be to the general advantage.

A representative of the company who discussed Tuesday's letter to the editor of this newspaper advocating a change in the present scheme, with an *Irish Times* reporter, said that the present schedule had been compiled with the object of suiting the greatest number of people. In his opinion, the Gas Company was in a far better position to assess the most suitable hours for the general public than any individual. "We will, of course, consider all such representations in the light of our own experience," he added, "but we feel that it would be difficult for any ordinary person fully to tabulate all the necessary facts before making a general recommendation."

The Gas Company was aware that there are people in the peculiarly unfortunate position that they have to work through all of the gas "on" periods, but such people are very definitely in the minority, and could not be considered to the detriment of the ordinary people.

The enforcement of the company's regulations regarding the "glimmer" is purely for the purpose of sharing among all the amount of gas available. People who use the "glimmer" are directly contributing to the shortening of the official "on" hours, he said.

"NOT GUILTY"

Disagreeing with the last statement, a correspondent from Merrion, County Dublin, writes: "I am afraid 'glimmer' users do not feel very guilty, thinking that if they burn only a certain amount of gas they might as well do it at the most convenient time. The majority of consumers want to keep down the bills, and resent the attitude of the company, which seems to be that the public would, if permitted, use gas as if it were a never ending supply. In addition, when large numbers of professional men are forced to breakfast at 8 a.m. they are wasting fuel and light every morning, and it is obvious that children would be better in bed than hanging about in the cold until school hour."

Another correspondent writes:—"One of the Gas Consumers' probably has no experience of being in the dark after the gas goes off at 7 p.m., or he would not want it off at 7.30 p.m.," and continues: "I understand there is no general dissatisfaction at the present arrangement. The Gas Company is doing a good job in very difficult circumstances, and it is to be hoped that those who grumble at having to wait until 6.15 for their evening meal will have nothing worse to complain of before the present trouble is over."

Two Potato Crops Every Season

As the result of an experiment made by Mr. J. Butler, St. Iver's, Broadway, Co. Wexford, the practice of obtaining two crops of potatoes per season will probably be developed on an extensive scale in south-east Wexford. Last February Mr. Butler sowed boxed Epicures, which were lifted in late May. He had Arran Banners ready sprouted, and early in June he sowed them where the Epicures had been. These have now yielded a splendid main crop. A similar previous experiment by Mr. N. Doyle, Highlands, Lady's Island, Co. Wexford, also proved successful.

Electrocuted By Radio Earth Wire

When playing in the front garden of 36 Holmdene Gardens, Belfast, Matthew Layden, aged five, touched the earth wire of a wireless set and was electrocuted. A verdict of accidental death was returned at the inquest.

Evidence was given that the boy fell on his face across the wire, through which, according to an electrical expert, a voltage of 230 volts was passing. His companion tried to pull him away, feeling a burning sensation in her hands in doing so, but it was not until the owner of the set had turned the power off that the boy was able to free himself.

An expert said that the set was not installed properly.

Raiders Over England

Bombs were dropped last night in two districts in South-East England by lone raiders, and also in a London area. Casualties were reported.

It is believed that two raiders were shot down in a North-East England area, where bombs were also dropped, says the Press Association.

Poison Warning

The following police message was broadcast from Radio Eireann last night:

"A small box containing six capsules of a drug known as pituitary extract was found yesterday at the East Wall road, Dublin. This is a poisonous drug, especially dangerous to children, and it is possible that a greater quantity may have been lost than that found. The public are warned against this danger. Any person who may have found other quantities should hand them to the Guards at once."

Military Service Pensions Case

THE whole difficulty was that, while the Military Service Pensions Act provided a very proper and fair method of dealing with applications for military service pensions, it had not been anticipated, said Mr. Sean MacBride, S.C., continuing his argument before the President of the High Court, Mr. Justice Martin Maguire and Mr. Justice Haugh yesterday, that there would be so many applications, and the Referee and the Advisory Committee had found themselves swamped by the number which had reached them.

Mr. MacBride, with Mr. P. J. Roe, S.C., and Mr. R. O hUadhaigh (instructed by Mr. J. B. Sullivan) appeared for James McCarthy, Walsh's avenue, Blackpool, County Cork, in his application to have made absolute a conditional order of *certiorari* which had been directed to the Minister for Defence requiring him to bring into the High Court, to be quashed, the report of the Referee appointed under the Military Service Pensions Act, refusing his application for a military service pension.

ACTIVE SERVICE

The President asked was it contended that where a man showed he had taken part in some activity that the Referee must hold that he was on active service continuously during the period.

Mr. MacBride said that was his submission in that case.

Mr. Justice Martin Maguire said that that would surely lead to extraordinary conclusions: a man might have resigned, been ill or he might even have been "drummed-out."

The President said that if rolls of members were available that difficulty would disappear, but keeping a roll of members at that time was a very dangerous thing. The matter had then to be tested by evidence. Was it contended that one activity, or even two, should compel the Referee to hold that a man was entitled to a pension.

Mr. MacBride said the difficulty was the definition of active service. In certain parts of the country there was virtually no fighting at all. In this case they had a man in an area where there was practically continuous fighting during certain periods, and he had taken part in those operations.

After Mr. Roe had been heard, Mr. McGonigal, S.C., who, with Mr. Carroll O'Daly (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor), appeared for the Minister for Defence and the Attorney-General, replying, said that in his submission the right to an order of *certiorari* should be taken away by the Military Service Pensions Act, and if he were wrong in that he would contend that at least an exclusive jurisdiction to determine questions of law and of fact was conferred on the Referee.

The further hearing was adjourned until to-day.

Charge of Stealing Cloth.—Peter Mulvey (29), Lower Dominick street, was sent for trial in the Dublin District Court yesterday on charges of breaking into the lock-up shop of Patrick Bowler, 6 Ormond quay, and stealing bales of cloth value £115.

Irregular Trend in Dublin

TRADING was on a reduced scale on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday and the trend was irregular, due to scattered liquidation. Home Rails continued busy, but profit-taking caused prices to ease. Cross-Channel Industrials also advised rather dull.

Second National Loan tended higher to 113⅝ and 4½ p.c. Land Bonds hardened to 118¼, while other Funds were buyers for choice. 3½ p.c. War Loan rose to 104⅛, and Limerick 3½ p.c. Loan was harder.

Mixed changes took place in Banks. Hibernians made headway to 52/-, and Nationals hardened to 49/1½, but Munster and Leinster fell 2/- to 126/-, and Provincial Old dipped to 47/9.

There was heavy selling of Guinness units, and they closed 1/1½ down at 123/44. Cairnes Ord. improved pence to 22/3.

Great Southern Rails came in sellers, and the Pref. lost 12/6 at 23½, and the Ord. 10/ at 46, but the Deb. held steady at 72. The Ord. firmed up to 21½, Great Northern Pref. shaded off to 40¼, but the Ord. advanced to 57, and the Deb. moved up to 71.

Dublin Transport Pref. were raised to 26/3, and Alliance Gas Ord. to 22/9. Switzer Ord. were harder at 23/-, and Todd Burns Pref. jumped 2/6 to 22/6. Clancico Murray Pref. improved to 22/-, and Salts (Ireland) Pref. to 20/6.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

(*) Odd lot. (a) Asked. (b) Bid.
(Previous prices in parentheses.)

GOVERNMENT FUNDS—5 p.c. Second Nat. Loan (113⅛); 113⅜, 4½ p.c. Third Loan (under £200) (111⅞), 112¼; 3½ p.c. Financial Agreement (109¾), 109¾; 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds (under £200) (110), 110¼; 3½ p.c. National Security (107¼), 107; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (118⅜), 118⅞; do. (under £200) (118⅛), 118⅜; 4 p.c. Land Bonds (109¼), 109¾; 3½ p.c. War Loan (104⅛), 104⅛; do. Deed (104⅞), 104⅝.

CORPORATION STOCKS — Dublin 3½ p.c. 1963/'83 (101), 101; Limerick 3½ p.c. £10 paid) (7½), 15/16, 15/16, 1, 1, 15/16 prem.

BANKS—Bank of Ireland (336), *335; Hibernian (51/3), 52/-; Munster and Leinster (128/-), 126/-, 6/-; National (49½), 49/1½; Provincial Old (48/-), *47/9.

BREWERIES—Cairnes Ord. (21/9), 22/3; Guinness Ord. (123/6), 122/5, 2/4½.

RAILS, ETC.—Gt. Northern Pref. (40¼), 40⅛; do. Gtd. (56⅛), *57; do. Deb. (75¼), *75½; Gt. Southern Ord. (21), *21 ¼; do Pref. (23⅞), *22¾, 3, 3¼; do. Gtd. (46½), 46, 6; do. Deb. (72), 71¾, 74. 2l.; Dublin Transport Pref. (26/-), 26/3.

IRISH INDUSTRIALS—Alliance Gas Ord. (22/6), 22/3; Browne and Nolan Pref. (24/1½), 24/-; Cement Ord. (44/-), *44/3; Clarnico-Murray Pref. (21/6), 22/-; May Roberts Ord. (49/6), *49/6; Pim Bros. Ord. (12/-), 13/-; Switzerland "A" Ord. (6/1½), 6/1½; do. Pref. (19/9), *20/6; Switzer Ord. (22/9), 23/-; Todd Burns Pref. (90/-), 92/6.

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS — Austin Motors "A" 27/3; Brit. Celanese, 32/3; Courts (A and P.) (46/6), *46/-; De La Rue, 82/-; Rand Mines, 14/7½; Imperial Chemical, 38/7½; Imperial Tobacco, 151/6; Lancashire Cotton, 37/3; Olympia Ord., 2/9¾; Rhod. Selection, 15/12, 15/3; Spicer Ord. Wold, 9/3; Vick

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NIGHTLY 8. MATINEE SAT 2.30.
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"HELLO, BEAUTIFUL." 3.59, 6.18, 8.49. "THE BODY VANISHED." 3.0, 5.33, 7.52.

CORINTHIAN To-day at 2.20, 4.38, 6.56, 9.14
Lupino Lane and Sally Grey.
"THE LAMBETH WALK."
Joan Abbott and Mary McLeod,
"SECRET MOTIVE."

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At 2.59, 5.5, 7.11, 9.17.
"SOCIETY LAWYER,' starring Walter Pidgeon and Virginia Bruce.
Matinee Prices to 5 p.m.

ASTORIA Dun Laoghaire.
At 3.15, 6.4, 8.55.
Tommy Trinder, James Mason in the Thrilling London A.F.S. Blitz Drama—
"THE BELLS GO DOWN."
Robert Taylor in "LUCKY NIGHT."

GREEN 3.45, 6.20, 9.0—Abbott and Costello "IN THE NAVY." Also "MUTINY IN THE ARCTIC." Fri. 2, Bob Taylor, "MURDER IN THE FLEET." Also "ARGENTINE NIGHTS."

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At 7.45 p.m.
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CYCLE PARK WILL BE PROVIDED.

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UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN
MICHAELMAS EXAMINATIONS
The following are results of the Michaelmas Term Honour and Prize Examinations at Trinity College, Dublin:—
JUNIOR SOPHISTERS.—Mental and Moral Science—First Rank—Agnew, A.; Williamson, J. W. P.; Irwin, W. T.; Lumley, W. St. L.; Lezer, R. J. Second Rank—Medlicott, E. B. J.; Boydell, Valda R.; Ingram, E. G. C. B.; Warren, D. B. M. Natural Science.—Second Rank—Crowe, D. E.; Hickson, C. R. T. Third Rank—Duckworth, Margt. Economics and Political Science.—First Rank—Cross, J. R.; Ferguson, B. Second Rank—Waller, Brigid C.
SENIOR FRESHMEN.—Mental and Moral Science.—First Rank—Denard, W. V.; Darling, ffolliott W. D.; Good, R. S.; White, A. R.; Barr, D. J. O. Second Rank—Crawford, R. B.; Forde, H. B. G.; O'Neill, N.; Shearer, E. G. Third Rank—McCune, W. T. Natural Science.—First Rank—Delap, Anne V. Second Rank—O'Callaghan, Margt.; Morrow, A. W. English.—First Rank—Johnston, Patricia M.; Morris, Margt. A.; McGonigle, I.; Caswell, R. N.; Brennan, Moyra; McKeon, J. E.; Boylan, H. J. E.; Tyrrell, Mary M.; Crawford, E. B. Second Rank—White, Patricia M.; Gall, Moira I.; Burton, G. W.; Furniss, Pauline E. Third Rank—McCune, W. N.; Morton, R. G.; Price, J. H.; Strawbridge, Dorothy I. French.—First Rank—Beaumont, Paulline J.; Johnston, Patricia M.; Foley, Moira J.; Torrie, Hazel M.; Tyrrell, Mary M. Second Rank—Brennan, Moyra; Caswell, R. N.; Mathews, M. J. F.; Strawbridge, Dorothy I.; McCormick, Letitia J.; Burton, G. W.; Scheyer, B. F. A. Third Rank—White, Patricia M.; Lettle, Winifred. Economics and Political Science.—First Rank—Ryan, W. J. L. Third Rank—Clarke, Patricia E. St. J.

IRISH WILLS
William Alexander Ingram, Walworth, Ballykelly, Co. Londonderry, left £21,555 (Britain); William Robert Walpole, Glenwood, Abavoe, Ballacolla, Leix — £1,706 (Eire); Denis Kenny, Tullameadow, Drumree, Meath—£1,665 (Eire).
Miss Ellen Colclough, 112 North Strand road, Dublin—£9,018 (Eire); Henry Allen Russell, Churchtown Lodge, Dundrum, Co. Dublin—£2,357 (Eire); George Duniam Williams, secretary (retired), 14 Ormond road, Rathmines—£1,921 (Eire); Mrs. Annie Lalor, 123 North Circular road, Dublin — £1,600 (Eire); Mrs. Ellen Stephens Head, 1 Windsor Park, Belfast—£2,314 (Britain); Aubrey Atherton, 47 Pembroke road, Dublin — £7,537 (Britain); Arthur Edward Thompson, 30 Crosscollyer street, Belfast—£3,679 (Britain); Joseph McNicholl, Rockboro', Cork—£3,116 (Britain).

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Bruce Bennett in a Ruthless Spy Hunt.

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2.50, 5.0, 7.5, 9.10.
Claudette COLBERT, Gary COOPER in
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TO-MORROW (FRIDAY):
Barbara STANWYCK, Robt. YOUNG,
"ARMS AND THE GIRL."
Extra attraction:
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LECTURES IN CATHOLIC THEOLOGY.
A Course of Lectures by Rev. J. A. O'Flynn, L.S.S., Professor of Catholic Biblical Theology, St. Patrick's College, Maynooth, on:—
"THE GOSPELS—THEIR MESSAGE AND CREDIBILITY."
Will Commence on THURSDAY, 28th OCTOBER, at 7.30 p.m., in the Physics Lecture Theatre, Earlsfort Terrace.
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Applications are invited for the Post of Housekeeper to the Hospital at a starting salary of £100 per annum, with the usual emoluments of fuel, light, laundry, furnished apartments and attendance. Applicants must have a Certificate in Institutional Management and adequate experience of that nature.
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In aid of the
DINING ROOM, 28 MEATH STREET.
Will be held at
18 ST STEPHEN'S GREEN,
TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), 22nd OCT.,
From 3 o'clock to 5 o'clock.
Please send or bring a contribution to the funds of this worthy object.
Tea 1/2, at 4 o'clock.

TAKE Notice that I intend to apply at the District Court of Rathfarnham on 19th November, 1943, for Renewal in Certificate of Registration of the Rathfarnham Golf Club, Co. Dublin.
T. P. M. ORR, Secretary.

FREE BOOT SCHEME
Conscious of the inadequacy of the 1943-44 provision for Home Assistance, Wicklow County Manager, Mr. P. T. Healy, is planning to provide free boots for necessitous children by asking the Irish Red Cross Society and the various emergency services to organise parish dances and entertainments. Cinemas will be asked to give one-night performances in aid of the fund.
The children who will benefit will be those of school-going age of persons in receipt of Home Assistance or non-contributory allowances under the Widows and Orphans Pensions Act. The scheme will be operated without remuneration by the assistance officers, and is to supplement the assistance money and pensions at present payable.

WEDDINGS

Cassidy—Weekes.—The wedding took place yesterday at Christ Church, Dun Laoghaire, of Mr. Eric Leslie Cassidy, Waterloo Mansion, Upper Baggot street, Dublin, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Cassidy, of Dublin, and Miss Jennie Weekes, younger daughter of the late Mr. J. W. Weekes and of Mrs. Weekes, 11 Martello avenue, Sandycove, Co. Dublin. The Service was conducted by the Rev. A. Camier, assisted by the Rev. W. J. E. Dawson, cousin of the bride. The bride was given away by her uncle, Dr. W. J. Dawson, and was attended by her sister, Miss Blanche Weekes. Mr. Douglas Cassidy was best man to his brother. A reception was afterwards held at 11 Martello avenue, Sandycove.

Harney—Walker.—The wedding took place yesterday at the Church of the Annunciation, Rathfarnham, of Dr. W. A. Harney, son of Captain W. E. Harney, M.I.B.B., and the late Mrs. Harney, 33 Waterloo place, Dublin, and Miss Olive Jane Walker, daughter of the late Mr. F. Walker and of Mrs. Walker, The Yellow House, Rathfarnham. The ceremony was performed by the Very Rev. Canon Behan, uncle of the bride. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. J. Walker, and Miss Pauline Walker was bridesmaid. Dr. W. A. Murray was best man. A reception was held at The Yellow House, Rathfarnham.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—10, Matins. 4, Evensong.
CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—10.45, Matins. 3, Evensong.
ST. ANN'S CHURCH, Dawson Street.—11.30, H.C.
CHRIST CHURCH, Leeson Park.—8.30, H.C. 9.45, Intercession.
ST. MARK'S CHURCH.—8, Intercession Service.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	8. 1	8. 3
Sets	6.19	6.16
Lighting-up Time	6.49	6.46

The Irish Times

THURSDAY, OCT. 21, 1943.

The Moscow Conference

The three-Power conference, which opened in Moscow on Tuesday, may prove to be one of the most momentous meetings of the world war. For some time past the leaders of the United Nations have felt the need for such an interchange of ideas; and it was hoped at one time that a meeting between President Roosevelt, Mr. Churchill and Marshal Stalin might be possible. In the event, however, this plan was found to be impracticable, and the Moscow conference is being attended by the three Foreign Ministers, Mr. Cordell Hull, President Roosevelt's Secretary of State; Mr. Anthony Eden, and Monsieur Molotov. It would be idle to pretend that the three great Powers who are engaged in the fight against Germany see eye to eye on all matters. There is a great gulf fixed between the frankly capitalist outlook of the United States and the Communism of the Kremlin. Great Britain also is a capitalist State, but her geographical position makes her more susceptible to European ideas than the United States; and, in so far as the Moscow conference deals with post-war problems, particularly problems of economics, Mr. Eden probably will find himself in the position of an honest broker between his American and Russian colleagues. He has been *persona grata* in Russia ever since the days of the Spanish civil war. The position is complicated also by the paradoxical fact that, while all three Powers are allied against Germany and the other European States which have adhered to the Axis, Russia remains neutral in the struggle between the Anglo-Saxon nations and Japan. To what, if any, extent this anomaly will influence the Moscow conversations it is impossible at this stage even to guess. So far as can be gathered from Press reports and the "inspired" statements which have preceded the conference, the Russians are anxious to concentrate as far as possible on the immediate problems of the war, while the British and Americans are hoping to find out the extent to which they will be able to rely on Russian co-operation when the war is over. The Russian point of view is as logical as it is insistent. For more than two years the Red Army has been fighting the Germans virtually without respite. Its losses must have been appalling; and Marshal Stalin argues that Russia has been forced to bear an altogether disproportionate share of the war's casualties. For that reason, he still is urging the British and Americans to open a "second" front against the Germans, as he has been urging them since the autumn of 1941, and it is very obvious that he does not consider the invasion of Southern Italy as an adequate response.

The attitude of the British and Americans is equally logical; but it reflects a totally different point of view. Britain, with a falling birth-rate, simply cannot afford to sacrifice her man-power on anything approaching the scale on which human sacrifices are being made by Russia and Germany. Evidently she is supported in this thesis by the United States, and the Anglo-American High Command is most reluctant to involve itself in further military commitments until it can strike with such overwhelming force as to reduce its own casualties to a minimum. The British and Americans also argue that they cannot undertake a major invasion of Europe until they shall have solved the acute problem of shipping tonnage. No fewer than 2,700 vessels of various kinds were necessary for the comparatively small operations against Sicily, and the strain on Anglo-American shipping resources is so great at present—partly, it is argued, in consequence of the transport of supplies to Russia—that a premature attack on the Continent would be a courting of disaster. Possibly, the strongest argument that can be produced by Messrs. Eden and Cordell Hull is the undoubted fact that the aerial offensive against Germany and her European allies is doing tremendous damage to her war effort, and in this way is bringing easement to the Russian armies. According to American statements, the recent raid by Flying Fortresses on Schweinfurt, resulting in the loss of sixty machines, wrought such havoc with the plant for the production of ball-bearings that it would result in a definite shortening of the war. All these and other arguments will be thrashed out across the conference table in Moscow, and a very great deal will depend on the measure of agreement that can be achieved. From the Allied point of view, it is essential that a completely united front shall be maintained, not only during, but also after, the war, between Great Britain, the United States and Soviet Russia, to say nothing of China—whose problems will be another day's work. For that reason, the Moscow conference is unlikely to adjourn until there has been some discussion, however vague and "exploratory," in regard to such problems as the future of Poland, Finland and the Baltic States, the post-war position of Czechoslovakia, and, above all, perhaps, the age-old riddle of the Balkans, in whose Slavonic peoples Russia always has taken such a keen interest. The Russian Government already has declared that there can be no question of negotiation concerning the future frontiers of the Soviet Union; and its military prestige at the moment is so high that the most consummate tact will be needed by Messrs. Eden and Cordell Hull.

Broadcasting

Broadcasting in Great Britain, according to a recent paragraph in our "London Letter," has come of age. It began twenty-one years ago in a small experimental station near Chelmsford, the county town of Essex. Within the short space of twenty-one years radio reached and passed the peak of its popularity. To-day there are few genuine radio enthusiasts left in the world. It is true that audiences are larger than ever they were before, and most people in the civilised countries live their entire lives to the background of the radio, but the true wireless enthusiast is rapidly disappearing from the earth. There was a time when only the man with a thorough knowledge of the fundamentals of broadcasting could hope to evoke even the faintest crackle from his crystal set, while even he was obliged to spend most of the evening re-wiring the apparatus, changing the internal parts, and re-adjusting the headphones. Then, when wireless sets became more efficient, the true enthusiast could be recognised easily by the fact that, while other people were content to sit around and listen to the excellent programmes radiated by local stations, he was twirling the dials in an eternal endeavour to "get" an unbeautiful oscillation from a distant transmitter. Even to-day there are people who would rather hear the faintest scratching sound from Tokyo or Philadelphia than the most perfect reproduction of a symphony concert from the Queen's Hall. The recent improvements in short-wave receivers have made it comparatively easy for the radio "globe trotter" to follow up his pastime at a reasonable hour, but in the early days of radio, when receivers and transmitters were weak, it was not possible to hear distant stations until all adjacent transmitters had closed down—which meant that all serious listening had to be done in the small hours of the morning. The pioneers of radio thought nothing of remaining up all night in order to test their apparatus. Nowadays the radio is taken for granted, as though it were no more wonderful than a saucepan.

THE Primate of All Ireland, the Most Rev. Dr. Gregg, is staying in Dublin.

Lady Kathleen Ward, who has been spending a few weeks at Castlecoole, Enniskillen, returned to Dublin this week.

Miss Brenda Gogarty has returned to Ireland from London, and has gone to Renvyle, Co. Galway.

Mrs. Annesley Pollock has arrived in Dublin from Kingscourt, Co. Cavan.

Mr. R. L'Estrange Bryce has arrived in Dublin from Glengarriff, and is staying with the Warden of St. Columba's and Mrs. Sowby.

Dr. A. ffrench O'Carroll has changed his residence to 77 Eglinton road, Dublin. Telephone No. 93283.

The engagement is announced of Dr. Michael A. Casey, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Casey, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, and Dr. Ann Foley, daughter of Dr. Timothy and Mrs. Foley, Glendalvert, Ardmore, Co. Waterford. The marriage will take place next month in Dublin.

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Wisdom suggests that you should begin now to pick up some nice things for Christmas Gifts. Among the collection of charming pottery exhibited at Arts Ltd., beside the Gresham Hotel, you should see the beautiful designs by Keith Murray at prices from 8/6 to 42/-.

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PROMOTIONS IN THE CIVIC GUARD

By an amendment of the Civic Guard promotion regulations, laid on the table of the Dail yesterday, the Commissioner is empowered to promote to the rank of inspector any sergeant who has given consistently meritorious service in the Detective Branch and has shown special zeal and ability in the performance of his duties, but has not passed the Class 1 promotion examinations.

Before doing so the Commissioner must appoint a board of members of the Garda not below the rank of Chief Superintendent to report on the record of the sergeant's services, and to interview him as to his general suitability.

THE LATE MR. R. N. ANDERSON

A short Service was held at the Centenary Church, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, yesterday, prior to the public funeral in Derry of Mr. R. N. Anderson, son of Sir Robert and Lady Anderson. The Revs. A. W. Gamble, J. M. Alley and J. L. Cairns officiated. Among those present was Miss I. Anderson (sister).

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	6.15	7.30
Evening	6.44	7.56

CRUISKEEN LAWN

By Myles na gCopaleen

EMBARRASSING people, some of those "friends" one has. I was hailed by one recently at the door of his house. "Ah-ha, my friend! Come in here for a moment, I have a crow to pluck with you." In I go, offer of a "drink," small glawsheen of muck manufactured in Portugal, then asked to have a cigarette ("go on, I have plenty") and finally I am led into a small back room, very simply furnished, two chairs and a table. And on the table, of course, a dead crow. Mechanically we take off our coats. Rather decently he offers me a green baize apron ("messy business, you know, old man.") Then the dreadful, unnecessary and insanitary work begins. Pluck pluck pluck. Really, I mean. Dirty little blue-black feathers fill the air, the lolling grey beak, the wrinkled fish-like eye with its unwinking reproach, then the pathetic black shanks with their famished "thighs." Soon the carrion corpse is naked on the table, our "work" is finished. Bad enough in all conscience, you will say. But worse was to follow. What of the affectation of removing this defunct fowl from the table with . . . a crow-bar! With what rare avid word can that be described?

(This bird was not a hen; matter of fact it was a cockerow and it was the custom of my foul-loving friend to be up at it every morning.)

Regarding Congreve

Our drama critic stated recently that "there is only one play by Congreve that is worth seeing and 'Love for Love' is not the one." I take the somewhat more liberal view that no play is worth seeing—hence my smoked glasses a present for a good boy from O'Mara's. But if one *must* admire Congreve, then one must turn to "The Way of the World" and to Witwoud rather than the much-lauded Millamant. The scene where he explains to Fainall and Mirabell the mechanics of Petulant's night-climbing brings a (tired) smile to my Retired Majesty's very thin lips. Coachman comes into a chocolate house—LCC very lax about building materials then, of course—and says three ladies outside in the coach looking for Petulant (who is not present). Witwoud then says that Petulant pays these ladies to call for him but that he probably won't come out to them unless there's a crowd to notice him. Why, this is nothing to what he used to do—before he found this easier way I have known him to call for himself. He would slip out of this chocolate house, just when you had been talking to him—as soon as your back was turned—*whip*! he was gone. Then race to his lodgings, clap on hood and scarf, and a mask, jump into a hackney car, and drive hither to the door again in a trice, send in for himself, call for himself, wait for himself, and what's more, not finding himself, leave a message for himself. . . .

Members of these embarrassing avowals, the 'professions,' particularly in Dublin, might learn much from this. How terribly wearying to be at a party and to see the endless stream of menials rushing in shouting "A telegram for Dr. Footman!" each of them waving the crudely forged document. And the incessant telephone bell, Stooges stuffed in every call-box in the town tirelessly dialling the house where the great humbug was being wined!

Do I embarrass somebody?

Research Bureau

Anglers will be familiar with the Bureau's patent gaff-cum-landing net. They will remember that the spike or point of the gaff protruded from the top of the oval brass frame which held the net. These spikes or points were made from mild manganese steel and as this stuff is not now available (the waarrr), a difficulty arises. The net point is that . . . . well . . . . the net point cannot be made. (I mean).

ARMY MARRIAGE RULE CRITICISED

Army regulations were criticised by Alderman A. Byrne in the Dail last night, when he described to the Minister for Defence the plight of the young soldier who cannot qualify for a marriage allowance if he marries before he is twenty-three years of age, and if he has not two years' service.

He quoted the case of a twenty-year-old girl who had married a soldier of the same age. Her husband could send her only 15s. a week out of his pay of 17s. 6d., and of this she spent 10s. a week on rent. She had pawned £8 worth of her clothes, and expected to go into the Rotunda Hospital the following week. In addition to this, she said in a letter to Alderman Byrne that she was suffering badly from lack of food.

"We talk about Christian families in this country," said the Alderman, "but here we have a regulation which almost advocates birth-control. The Minister knows these young men will get married, regulations or no regulations, and he should see that they are looked after."

Replying that the regulations were not peculiar to the Irish Army, but were known in every army in the world, the MINISTER (Mr. Oscar Traynor) said that the authorities did not encourage married men to enter the Army. In fact, at the present time they did not allow married men into the Army unless they came with a full knowledge of what they had to face, or unless they were skilled mechanics or artificers.

It was only with the greatest difficulty that he had persuaded his colleagues that he was doing right when he reduced the term of service which a man must have before marrying from five years to two years, and the age limit from 25 years to 23 years. They must have regulations if they were going to have order. If men in the Army knowingly refused to obey a regulation established for years and knew the consequences, then they would have to take the consequences. The regulations which had been made had been made by those who knew best the interests of the men.

AT OTHER PORTS.

	Morning.	Evening.
Ballina	12.29	12.57
Cork	11.48	12.20
Cobh	11.42	12.17
Drogheda	6. 3	6.32
Dundalk	6. 0	6.29
Galway	11.44	12.36
Kinsale	11.28	12. 3

This old building was once Fortune's public-house, and the first building in Dublin to display a public clock. It has been, in turn, a public-house, a dance hall, and a butting office. It is now being demolished as part of a condemned block of old buildings at Golden Lane, Whitefriar street.

ON THE WIRELESS

IRISH PROGRAMME

1.0-1.40—Radio Eireann Orchestra. 1.40-1.45—News and Stock Exchange. 1.45-2.30—Lunch Time Concert (Records). 5.0—"Suaitci-Samhaiici". Siamsa chois Teineadh le Peadar O Dubhda. 6.25—Drawing and Painting Competition conducted by Marion King. 6.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements. 6.45—News. 7.5—"For the Housekeeper," featuring Making and Mending and Request Recipes. 7.35—Radio Eireann Orchestra. 8.0—"Concert Tour" from City Hall, Waterford. 9.0—"Radio Omnibus," presented by Noel Harinett and Harry Kennedy. 9.30—Marie Mulcahy (Piano). 9.45—"Irish Music and Musicians." 10.0—Nuacht. 10.10—News in English. 10.30—"The Week's Opera": Manon Lescaut (Puccini).

B.B.C. PROGRAMMES

HOME SERVICE.

269.5 m. (1474 kc/s), 391.1 m. (767 kc/s), 449.1 m. (668 kc/s), 48.54 m. (6.18 mc/s).

7.0—News. 7.15—Exercises. 7.30—Grieg. 7.55—"Lift Up Your Hearts!" 8.0—News. 8.15—The Kitchen Front. 8.30—"Take Your Choice." 9.0—B.B.C. Midland Light Orchestra. 9.45—Reginald New. 10.5—Schools. 10.15—Service. 10.30—Music While You Work. 11.0—Schools. 12.0—Ralph Dowse. 12.30—Workers' Playtime. 1.0—News. 1.15—"Jazz versus Jazz." 1.40—"At Home To-day." 2.0—Schools. 3.0—Music While You Work. 3.30—Torquay Municipal Orchestra. 4.15—Talk by Edwin Muir. 4.30—"Broadway Melodies." 5.0—News in Welsh. 5.30—Children's Hour. 6.0—News. 6.30—Ulster's Half-hour. 7.0—Farming Today. 7.20—Debussy. 7.40—"To Start You Talking." 8.0—"The Keeping of the Sea." 9.0—News. 9.25—War Commentary. 9.40—"Appointment with Fear." 10.10—Service. 10.30—B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra. 11.0—"Twice-Told Tales." 11.15—George Elrick's Band. 12.0—News.

ALTERNATIVE SERVICE.

296.1 m. (1013 kc/s), 342.1 m. (877 kc/s).

6.30—"Reveille!" 7.0—News. 7.15—"Hit Parade." 7.45—"Melody Round-Up." 8.0—News. 8.15—The Kitchen Front. 8.30—"Take Your Choice." 9.0—B.B.C. Midland Light Orchestra. 9.45—Organ. 10.15—"To Entertain You." 10.30—Music While You Work. 11.0—"Brass Brevities." 11.15—"Piano Parade." 11.45—B.B.C. Orchestra. 12.30—Workers' Playtime. 1.0—News. 1.15—"Jazz versus Jazz." 1.40—"Our Island Home." 2.0—Music for Trafalgar Day. 2.40—"Salute to Nelson." 3.0—Music While You Work. 3.30—Operatic Music. 4.0—Radio Reconnaissance. 4.20—B.B.C. Orchestra. 5.0—"Navy Mixture." 6.0—News. 6.30—Radio Rhythm Club. 7.0—"Naval Occasion." 7.45—"Salute to Rhythm." 8.30—"ITMA." 9.0—News. 9.25—"Mail Call." 9.55—"Canadian News Round-Up." 10.20—"Snapshots"—9. 10.30—Music While You Work. 11.0—Close down.

OBITUARY

MR. JOHN NORMILE

The death of Mr. John Normile, late Postmaster, Cork, at his residence, 17 St. Canice's road, Glasnevin, removes one of the outstanding figures in the Irish postal service. A member of a County Limerick family, he entered the Post Office after competitive examination in 1896. He was one of the founders of the Association of Irish Post Office Clerks, in which he held the positions of chairman and honorary secretary, and gave evidence before two Select Committees of the British House of Commons. Later, when it was considered good policy to amalgamate the different Post Office Unions, he again took a leading part, and was one of the founders of the present Union of Post Office Workers. He became Postmaster of Blackrock in 1923, Drogheda in 1926, Limerick in 1932, and Cork in 1935, retiring from the latter office in 1940 after 44 years' service.

IRISH SEA FISHERIES

Although the weight of sea fish taken in 1942 was somewhat less than in the previous year, the results were, on the whole, satisfactory, says the annual report on sea and inland fisheries issued yesterday. If shellfish be included, the total value of all sea fish was £504,258—the highest aggregate value recorded for any of the past twenty years. A gratifying feature was the continued maintenance of increased landings by inshore fishermen as compared with the decline in quantity taken by the Dublin deep sea trawlers.

The drift net fishery for herrings was disappointing, with a 50 per cent. reduction both in quantity and value compared with 1941. The figure in value was £41,110. The mackerel catch was 23 per cent. below the previous year.

The report states that information available regarding the quantity of the salmon, sea-trout and eels taken was somewhat less than in 1941 and the price lower.

BRITISH ATTITUDE TO ITALY

In the British House of Commons yesterday, after Mr. Law, Minister of State, had said that he hoped to make a statement as soon as possible on the political and economic terms of the armistice with Italy, Sir Archibald Southby (C., Epsom) asked for an undertaking that there was no question of any official envoy being sent to Great Britain to represent the Badoglio Government.

Mr. Law said that whatever arrangements were deemed suitable would be announced to the House. He made no reply when Sir Archibald alluded to "a very strong feeling lest Italy should be treated as a great friend and a normal nation."

When Mr. Mander (L., Wolverhampton, E.), was assured that it was the intention of the Government that adequate provision for the handing over of known criminals should be included in the terms of an armistice with Germany, Mr. Rhys Davies (Lab., Westhoughton) asked: "Is the Minister aware that a large number of people is very cynical about this proposal to punish war criminals when they remember stunts about hanging the Kaiser?"

MEDICAL MISSION

Suburban gardeners and plotholders were among those who sent gifts of apples and vegetables to the Church Missionary Society Medical Mission Market, held yesterday in the C.M.S. Hall, Molesworth street, Dublin, in aid of mission hospitals. Although transport difficulties prevented many of the country parishes from sending their usual supplies, nevertheless they supported the project by selling their produce locally and sending on the proceeds.

Dr. Leopoldo Piccardi, Minister of Corporations in the Badoglio Government formed after the fall of Signor Mussolini, has become Mayor of Naples, said Radio Algiers last night.—(Reuter.)

LONDON LETTER

50 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

MR. TONY QUINN, formerly of the Abbey Theatre, Dublin, will represent Ireland in a special B.B.C. programme, "Every Accent Tells a Story," which is now

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

Announcements in this column (which in all cases must be authenticated) are charged at the rate of 1/- per line (minimum 3/-).

BIRTHS.

GRIFFIN—October 11, 1943, at the Leinster Nursing Home, to Eileen, wife of J. J. Griffin, St. Maur, Newtownpark avenue, Blackrock, a son (John Edward).

HOLLOWAY—October 13, 1943, at Hatch Street Nursing Home, to Gertrude, wife of James J. E. Holloway, 450 Howth road, Raheny, a son.

McCORMICK—October 11, 1943, at the Leinster Nursing Home, Una (*née* McCann), wife of Dick McCormick, Clonmahon, Summerhill, Co. Meath, a son (Mark Anthony).

ROSE—October 10, 1943, at Prague House, Terenure road East, to Effie (*née* Bryan), wife of William Rose, Bryan-Ville, Ashfield Park, Terenure, Dublin, a son.

MARRIAGES.

DOUGLAS-BADGER and BRENAN—September 8, 1943, George Douglas-Badger, North Oxfordshire, to Eleanor Mary Angela, younger daughter of The O'Brenan and Madam O'Brenan, Eden Hall, Ballyraggel, Eire. English papers please copy.

GRAY and PATTERSON—October 14, 1943, at Loughmourne Presbyterian Church, by the Rev. C. McNeill-Caldwell, M.A., assisted by the Rev. J. A. Cargin, B.A., and the Rev. S. Deale, B.A.; James A. V. Gray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lucas Gray, Riverdale, Ballybay, to Gladys Cargin, youngest daughter of the late Rev. J. Patterson and of Mrs. Patterson, Crievelands, Ballybay.

DEATHS.

BEAUFORT—October 19, 1943, at 62 Morehampton road; Geraldine Somerset Beaufort, aged 94. Service at St. Bartholomew's Church to-morrow (Friday), 22nd inst., at 10 o'clock.

BYRNE—October 20, 1943, Rev. Vincent Byrne, S.J., Milltown Park, Dublin. R.I.P. Office and Solemn Requiem Mass at 11 a.m. to-morrow (Friday), October 22, at St. Francis Xavier's, Upper Gardiner street. Funeral immediately afterwards to Glasnevin.

CAMPBELL—October 20, 1943, at Private Nursing Home, Dun Laoghaire, Joseph M., son of the late F. F. Campbell, of Dundalk, Co. Louth. R.I.P.

CHRISTIE—October 20, 1943 (suddenly), at her residence, The Lawn, Belturbet, Isabella Christie. Deeply regretted. Funeral on Saturday, October 23rd. Scottish papers please copy.

ELLIS—October 20, 1943, at 32 Main street Gorey, the residence of her niece, Margaret E. Ellis, for a number of years teacher at St. Patrick's Cathedral Grammar School, Dublin. Interment at Mount Jerome to-morrow (Friday) at 3.30 p.m. R.I.P.

FINIGAN—October 20, 1943, at his residence, 4 Dalymount, Phibsboro' Joseph, dearly-loved husband of Kathleen Finigan, to the great grief of his sorrowing wife and brother. R.I.P. Funeral (private) from St. Peter's, Phibsboro', to-morrow (Friday) after 9 o'clock Mass.

JONES—October 13, 1943, at Kendal County Hospital, Westmoreland (the result of a cycle accident), Illumina, most precious and devoted daughter of Letitia and the late William Alexander Jones, of 23 Osborne Drive, Bangor, Co. Down, and sister of the loved matron at Mawden Hall School, Bowness-on-Windermere. Memorial Service at Windermere Parish Church October 25th. Cremated at Blackpool, October 18th.

McGUINNESS—September 29, 1943, at Hospital, Salisbury, Southern Rhodesia, William, eldest son of the late William McGuinness and of Mrs. McGuinness, Tollcross, Glasgow and dearly-loved husband of Doris Brabazon.

O'CALLAGHAN—September 22, 1943, at his home in London, R. G. D. O'Callaghan, Major, retired, late of Brackenstown.

O'CALLAGHAN—October 14, 1943, at Bailey's Hotel, London, C. L. O'Callaghan, Captain, retired, late of Brackenstown.

WARREN—October 19, 1943, at his residence, Ballinacarrig House, Gorey, Co. Wexford, George Switzer Warren. Funeral to-morrow (Friday) 2 o'clock (S.T.) to Christ Church, Gorey.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found in Page 3.

IN MEMORIAM.

BROWNE—In ever loving memory of Maria, dearly loved sister of Frances Hoffman, who died 21st October, 1939. Missed and mourned.

ENNIS—In loving remembrance of Charles Ennis, who died 21st October, 1936. R.I.P.

HASKINS—In loving remembrance of grandpa Called Home October 21, 1942. Ever in our thoughts — Rhue-y-gar.

HASKINS—In loving memory of William John (Jack) Haskins, taken Home 21st October, 1942.

LLOYD—Fourth Anniversary—In ever-cherished memory of my darling sister, Mary, who passed away at Strathmore, Killiney, October, 1939. R.I.P. Anniversary Mass (to-morrow)—Inserted by her loving brother and cousins

MULHERIN—Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my brother, William Mulherin, who died 19th October, 1941. R.I.P.

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NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors or otherwise to have any claim against the estate of the above Deceased, who died on the 25th October, 1942, are hereby required, on or before the 30th day of November, 1943, to furnish (in writing) particulars thereof to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors, to whom Probate of Will with one Codicil was on the 7th June, 1943, granted by the Principal Registry (Probate) of the High Court of Justice, Eire. AND NOTICE is hereby given that after the said day of November, 1943, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which Notice shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 2th day of October, 1943.
T. T. MECREDY and SON, Solicitors for Executors, 91 Merrion Square, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
THOMAS WALL, formerly of Coppanagh, Graiguenamanagh, County Kilkenny, Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., C. 35, that any persons having claims against the Estate of the above deceased, who died at the District Mental Hospital, Kilkenny, on the 7th day of August, 1929, are required to furnish particulars in writing to the undersigned Solicitors for the Administrator de bonis non, on or before the 22nd day of November, 1943, after which date the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims then received.

Dated this 21st day of October, 1943.
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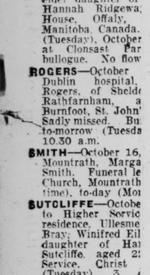

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